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processing said message, in said remote device, to determine whether or not the transport header of said message identifies the message as a type of remote Direct Memory Access (rDMA) read operation; and

if the remote device determines from the transport header of said message that the message is said type of remote Direct Memory Access (rDMA) read operation, then performing a remote Direct Memory Access (rDMA) write operation to said local device in accordance with data elements included in said message;

sending a message from said local device to said remote device, said message including a transport header indicating the message type of said message;

processing said message, in said remote device, to determine whether or not the transport header of said message identifies the message as a type of remote Direct Memory Access (rDMA) read operation; and

if the remote device determines from the transport header of said message that the message is said type of remote Direct Memory Access (rDMA) read operation, then performing a remote Direct Memory Access (rDMA) write operation to said local device in accordance with data elements included in said message.

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